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GOVERNOR'S STATE WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD

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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **Last Chance to Nominate Governor's Workforce Development Awards**

Helena - - - The last chance to submit nominations for the 2006 Governor's Desiree Taggart Memorial Awards is May 31, 2006.

Montana organizations, businesses and individuals involved in workforce development are eligible for the awards based on outstanding achievement or contribution to employment and training efforts in Montana, including: improved productivity, creativity, economy and efficiency in Montana's workforce system.

"Desiree Taggart (the first director in Workforce Development in the Governor's Office of Economic Development) had a gift for fostering relationships to improve productivity, creativity, economy and efficiency within Montana's Workforce Development," said Governor Brian Schweitzer. "It's time to begin recognizing the contributions of our neighbors for the betterment of our communities by nominating the 'Desiree' of your town."

Award nominations post marked by May 31, 2006 will be considered for the following categories:

- Outstanding Business of the Year
- Quality Program
- Workforce Development Achievement

For more information, visit the State Workforce Investment Board's website at:

[www.boards.mt.gov/swib/](http://www.boards.mt.gov/swib/) (Resources link), or contact Chris Wilhelm at 406-444-4480.

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